

one key is used for entering at least two different characters,  
the keyboard arrangement comprising:

means for detecting alternative sectional distributions of  
pressure on the at least one key;

a storage for words of a defined language;

a memory in which alternative character strings are formed,  
wherein sequential characters in a string relate to  
sequentially pressed keys, each character in a string being  
one alternative of a pressed key;

a processor for comparing the character strings to the  
words of a defined language to achieve a comparison result;  
and

means for deducing the input character based on said  
distribution of pressure on the key and on the comparison  
result.

12. (Amended) A method for inputting characters with a  
keyboard, characterised in that,

- words of a defined language are stored;
- at least one key is pressed in one of at least two  
alternative ways,
- the way the key is pressed is detected, and
- alternative character strings are formed, wherein  
sequential characters in a string relate to sequentially pressed  
keys, each character in a string being one alternative of a  
pressed key.